

**REFERENDUM PETITION
TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE,
STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA**

We, the undersigned, being qualified electors request Senate Bill 2370 passed by the Sixty-second Legislative Assembly be placed on the ballot as provided by law.

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PETITION TITLE

This referendum measure would reject Senate Bill 2370 as passed by the Legislature in the November 2011 Special Session and printed below. Senate Bill 2370 repealed section 15-10-46 of the North Dakota Century Code which had required that the Fighting Sioux nickname and logo be used by the University of North Dakota.

FULL TEXT OF THE MEASURE

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Senate Bill 2370

AN ACT relating to adoption of a nickname and logo for the university of North Dakota athletic teams; to repeal section 15-10-46 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the university of North Dakota fighting Sioux nickname and logo; and to provide an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1.UNIVERSITY OF NORTH DAKOTA ATHLETIC NICKNAME AND LOGO.Neither the state board of higher education nor the university of North Dakota may adopt or implement an athletic nickname or corresponding logo before January 1, 2015.

SECTION 2.REPEAL.Section 15-10-46 of the North Dakota Century Code is repealed.

SECTION 3.EFFECTIVE DATE.This Act becomes effective on December 1, 2011.

INSTRUCTIONS TO PETITION SIGNERS

You are being asked to sign a petition. You must be a qualified elector. This means you are eighteen years old, you have lived in North Dakota thirty days, and you are a United States citizen. All signers must add their complete residential address or rural route or general delivery address and the date of signing. Every qualified elector signing a petition must do so in the presence of the individual circulating the petition.

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STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA)
COUNTY OF _____) ss.
(county where signed)

I, _____ being sworn, say that I am a
(circulator)

qualified elector; that I reside at _____;
(address)

that each signature contained on the attached petition was executed in my presence; and that to the best of my knowledge and belief each individual whose signature appears on the attached petition is a qualified elector; and that each signature contained on the attached petition is the genuine signature of the individual whose name it purports to be.

(signature of circulator)

Subscribed and sworn to before me on _____, 201__, at _____,
North Dakota. (city)

(NOTARY SEAL)

(signature of notary)
Notary Public
My commission expires _____